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## September 24, 2013

## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Select ISD and LEA Lead Administrators, MEGS+ Consolidated

Application Main Contacts and Authorized Officials

From: Mike Radke

Director, Office of Field Services

Date: September 24, 2013

Subject: 2013-14 McKinney-Vento Homeless Students Assistance Grant

**Awards** 

The Michigan Department of Education (MDE) is pleased to announce the 2013-14 McKinney-Vento Homeless Students Assistance Grant awards. Because 2013-14 is the second year of the grant cycle, no new agencies have been funded. The award amount for your agency may be accessed on the MDE Office of Field Services (OFS) Program Allocations webpage:

http://w3.michigan.gov/mde/0,1607,7-140-6530 30334-127227--,00.html

Unfortunately, the amount of this year's award is substantially below that of prior years. Sequestration, as well as the lack of "supplemental" award funds available in prior years, has negatively impacted this year's award. Please use the award amount listed on the OFS webpage to revise your agency's McKinney-Vento Homeless Grant budget in MEGS+. If the MEGS+ status of your Homeless Students Assistance Grant application is in either "Application Submitted," "Modifications Submitted," or "Review in Progress" status, MDE will return it so you can revise your budget.

If you have questions about the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Grant application, please contact William Rowan at (517) 373-2693 or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:rowanw@michigan.gov">rowanw@michigan.gov</a>.

cc: McKinney-Vento Program Contacts

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